# Fruitcura

A SCIENTIFIC DISCOVERY

### BY A WOMAN TO CURE WOMEN

### Women of All Ages,

Attention!

Madame Yale, the famous Queen of Beauty, who has lectured in all of the prominent cities of the world before vast audiences, and has been pronounced by newspapers and critics to be the most perfect woman in form and feature now living, speaks to the women of the world and frankly tells them that the secret of her beauty lies in perfect health-and the secret of her health lies in the use of her own remedies. Among them - Fruittonic for curing all female ailments and building up the system. Fruit-cura restores all weak organs to perfect health. It cures the many complaints of women that only women know of. It restores the vitality, makes the eyes bright, the step elastic, and brings the bloom of health to the faded cheek. It renews the nerve tone, and makes the flesh firm, hard and velvety. In fact, its use is the royal road to perfect health and beautiful womanhood. It cures their complaints and nervous troubles of any nature cura-her great and wonderful and nervous troubles of any nature news. The young couple have known each other testify. and revives the vitality which is lacking in all such cases. For women of all ages. A discovery by a women to cure women. Price, \$1.00

#### FREE BOTTLE FRUITCURA

In order to give every woman a chance to try this wonderful prepara-tion, Madame Yale will mail, absolutely FREE of charge, a bottle of Fruitcura together with her 96-page book, "Woman's Wisdom," to every woman who will write for it. Address your letter to

MME. M. YALE. 189 Michigan Avenue,

David Falk, formerly a Jewish rabbi, but now an insurance agent, who lives at No. 1025 North Eighteenth street, yesterday morning swore out a warrant charging Abe and Jake Slupsky with assault and hattery. Falk told the Assistant Prosecuting Attorney that he had sued the mother of Abe and Jake Slupsky in Justice Carrell's court, and that he obtained judgment against her for 18.50. After the court had rendered judgment, Falk says, Abe and Jake Slupsky met him outside the court and assaulted him. This was a week ago, and Falk says he has been in a hospital since.

One week before the alleged assault on Isla, Slupsky, who is well known as a fermer Republican lieutenant under Mayor Ziegenhein, was acquitted on a charge of murder in the second degree by a jury in Judge Douglas's court. It was charged that Slupsky killed Charles Pinchard.

## PIANO TALK NUMBER 4.

Our Clearance Sale This Week of Discontinued Styles of New Pianos.

An Immense Success-Of Supreme Importance to Plano Buyers-Fully 331/96 Can Be Saved-Our Easy-Payment Plan Offered to All.

ILLUSTRATIONS OF THE BARGAINS.

These discontinued case styles of new high-grade pianos, which we are clearing out at remarkable bargain prices, and of which we feel compelled to tell you more ebeat, has broken into our arrangements of continuing "piano history," a matter, however, that we shall resume just as soon as these discontinued case styles of pianos are cleared out-probably next week.

To a good many people the purchase of a piano is quite a consideration, therefore, when we are in position to offer extraordinary price inducements, as we are now, we know that it is information of supreme importance to a large number of people.

We want to tell you that these pianos we are cleaning out one-third off on account of slight changes being minde in the case are new pianos and the changes in the case styles in no way affect the piano proper, that is, the inside.

It is important that our stock consist of pianos shown in new catalogues now being printed, and these discontinued styles will be closed out, probably all will go this week. ILLUSTRATIONS OF THE BARGAINS.

BLUSTRATIONS OF THE BARGAINS. Sale price this week ..... Payments, \$6 Monthly. Sale price this week ... Payments, \$7 Monthly.

Used planes such as Sohmer, Emerson, Hardman, Hale, Royal and Crown, taken in exchange on new Kimball and new Decker & Son planes, and some of them have only been rented a short while, to clear out at \$35, 3120 to \$155; payments to suit.

#### TO ACQUAINT PARENTS WITH THEIR MARRIAGE THROUGH THE REPUBLIC.

Adolph Krauss and Miss Madie Worth, Who Eloped to Springfield, Ill., Last December, Choose Novel Method of Announcing Their Wedding to Their Relatives.



YOUNG COUPLE WHO HAVE SUCCEEDED IN KEEPING THEIR MARRIAGE A SECRET FOR NEARLY FOUR MONTES.

months.

Krauss, in the months intervening since his marriage, has been busy furnishing a flat. His young wife has also been actively engaged in preparing for the future, as large quantities of table and bed linen will

MASSACRE ALL FOREIGNERS

British Captain, After Five Years Service in Orient, Says Entire

Nation Is Preparing for War.

GOVERNOR'S VETO WILL STAND.

Make Five Thousand Dollars.

Subscribers of The Republic are lavited to enter a profit-sharing contest, offering an opportunity of being rewarded with a cash premium of five thousand dollars. It is a competition of skill and good judgment. Full particulars are set forth in another

High School Graduates.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Carbondale. Ill., April 14.—The public schools of Carbondale closed to-day with the annual commencement exercises of the High School in the Opera-House in that city. The class was composed of four males and four females, as follows; Caesar Ferrelli, valedictorian; Fred Nichol. Fred Walker and Turner Harriss, Margaret R. Winning, salutatorian; Turzah D. Carver, Clara H. Perry and Sadle Campbell. The diplomas were presented to the class by Judge Gallimore of the Beard of Education, and the annual high-school address to the class was delivered by Professor J. T. Eills of the State Normal University of this city.

city.

The year just closed has been one of the most presperous in the long history of the superintendency of James W. Turner.

Will Appenl to Roosevelt.

REPUBLIC STECIAL
Topeka, Kas., April 14.—The Women's
Christian Temperance Union will have a
delegation here May 1 to ask President
Rossevolt to order the battleship Kansas
christened with water instead of wine.

PREDICTS THAT CHINA WILL

#### MRS. VANDERBILT FORCED TO MOVE HER SMOKING-ROOM.

Landlord Serves Notice Upon Her and She Declares He Has Been laftuenced by Some One Eise.

New York, April 14.-While marriage belts REPUBLIC SPECIAL. are ringing in Newport to-day for young
Reginald C. Vanderbilt, Mrs. Jacob H. Vanderbilt, originator and founder of the first
women's smoking-room in this country, is sitting in her Fifth avenue oriental parlors sadiy contemplating the eviction notice which the Boxer uprising was child's play.

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SLUPSKY IN TROUBLE AGAIN.

Republican Politician Charged
With Assault and Battery.

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This is the statement made by Capitain Farmer of the Twentieth Fusilier British Infantry Regiment, who is returning home after five years' service in China. He declares that the entire Chinase nation, from the Empress down is preparing for war.

The armed forces have been doubted and are still being increased in every Province. Arms and atminuntion are being purchased wherever possible in quantities and stored in looks as though the spite emanated from some other source. The way I am being pursued is cruel.

"But I will not be dewned. I intend getting no a larger basis, My trade has grown so that I will take two large rooms and Viceroys, and in their places are installed reactionaries who will carry out hesitation.

GOVERNOR'S VETO WILL STAND.

## WOES OF A LOCAL CANDIDATE.

Harrisburg Municipal Muddle Is Taken Into the Courts. REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Harrisburg, Ill., April 14.-Mundamus proceedings have been begun in this city to enable, if possible, James B. Binckman to file his nomination papers as a candidate on the progressive ticket for Mayor of this on the progressive ticket for Mayor of this city. At a convention held in the courthouse in this city a couple of weeks ago John B. Lee was nominated for Mayor and about the same time ex-Representative Charles P. Skags was nominated by petition for Mayor on the Citthens' ticket.

As time progressed the campaign became somewhat heated and in order to maintain harmony and work to the best interests of the city, friends of both candidates held a consultation and an agreement was reached that both Skags and Lee should withdraw and James B. Blackman become the compromise candidate, without opposition. The nomination papers were written up for Blackman and were to have been filed Monday night of last week, at a meeting of the City Council, which was the last day for filing homination papers, but on this particular aight the City Cierk. Charles L. Rice, could not be found and the books were locked in the safe. Search was instituted and the Council remained in session until a very late hour, but to no avail and adjourned without having filed Mr. Blackman's papers. Mr. Skaggs succeeded in having his papers filed several days previous and now refuses to withdraw, hence the mandamus proceedings. city. At a convention held in the court-

### NEVADA DISTRICT CONFERENCE.

Bishop Wilson Presides Over Methodist Meeting.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Novada, Mo., April 14.—The Nevada District Conference of the M. E. Church. South, comprising the counties of Vernon, Boles, Adair and Barton, convened here today with Bishop A. W. Wilson of Baltimore, Md., presiding. The Reverend F. E. Gordon was elected secretary of the conference.

The greater part of to-day's session was taken up with reports from the various churches, which were considered encouraging. The Reverend Doctor Mouson of Kansas City delivered an address this evening on "Bucation of the Sunday School." To-morrow Bishop Witson will address the conference.

World's Fair Dedication. The Republic Profit-Sharing Bureau will make rewards of \$10,000,00 for judgment and skill. New and old subscribers are invited to enter the contest-and estimate the number of admissions to World's Fair Grounds April 30. Conditions and estimate blanks are printed in The Republic daily.

REPORTED CHANGE IN OWNERS. Colonel Fordyce of St. Louis Said to Have Bought Hotel.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

# Fire-Fighter's Story

How the Strongest Man in the Philadelphia Fire Department-Once the Weakest-Gained His Strength and Health by Using Swamp-Root, the Great Kidney and Bladder Remedy.

HERE'S the story of a man who was near death's door and was saved by using Swamp-Root.

HERE is the story as he gave it to a special representative of Philadel-phia's Great Newspaper, "The North American":

"You will hardly believe it when I tell you there was a time when

If he came to you and said: "My friend, do you suffer with kidney trouble? Does your back ache? Do you feel bad all over and can't tell exactly what's the matter? Have you tried medicines or doctors without benefit? Are you about discouraged? Then do as I did, and get well-Use Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root! I know it will cure you."

If he did this, would you believe him?

Wouldn't you, if you were a sufferer, follow his advice, knowing that he bore living, sentient, vital testimony to the wonderful virtues of this great natural remedy?

WELL, that is just what Hugo Hutt, strongest man in the Philadelphia Fire Department, hero of a hundred battles with the flames, is doing now through the medium of this newspaper.

Hugo Hutt has been connected with the Philadelphia Fire Department for the past four years. He is stationed at the engine-house at Nineteenth and Callowhill streets.

Mr. Hutt is known as the strongest man in the Fire Depart- reader of a newspaper could be persuaded to read the thoument and has taken many prizes at athletic tournaments for his prowess in the field of sports.

He is also an ex-sergeant of United States Infantry, having for several years been stationed at Fort Niobrara, Neb. Mr. Hutt also served with the Sixth Pennsylvania Regiment during the Spanish-American war.

my body was in such a diseased condition that my relatives and friends would have, at no time, been surprised to learn of my death. It was all due to kidney trouble, for which I could secure no relief. I was under the care of my family physician for a number of years, but he was unable to do me any good. I also consulted two noted specialists on kidney diseases, but they were unable to give me more than temporary relief. I had already made application to join the army, but was turned down on account of my bad

"I was advised to try that greatest of all remedies-SWAMP-ROOT.

"I wrote to Dr. Kilmer & Co., at Binghamton, N. Y., for a sample bottle, and its effect upon me was so notice-able that I went immediately and bought a supply from my druggist, with the result that in a comparatively short time I had entirely recovered and became the man you see me now.

"I served a number of years in the army, and for the past four years I have been connected with the Philadelphia Fire Department. My work, both in the army and fighting fires in Philadelphia, has been of the most arduous, and make that I could not do did I not have work that I could not do did I not have a strong physique.

"I do not know what the words 'Kidney Trouble' mean now and do not expect to. I cannot speak too highly of Swamp-Root. A few bottles of this great remedy did more for me than a dozen physicians could."

(Signed) HUGO HUTT. 2223 Vine St., Philadelphia, Pa.

AND this is only one man's story - if the average

sands of such testimonials which come to Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the kidney troubles which now afflict humanity would be cut down fifty per cent.

For these testimonials all prove beyond a doubt that the greatest cure for kidney, liver and bladder troubles is

# Swamp-Root

HUGO HUTT, PHIL ADELPHIA FIREMAN.

NATURE'S GREATEST AID TO THE SUFFERING.

SPECIAL NOTICE-Swamp-Root is so remarkably successful that a special arrangement has been made by which all of our readers who have not already tried it may have a sample bottle sent absolutely free by mail, also a book that tells all about it and its wonderful cures. Address Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y. In writing, be sure to mention that you read this generous offer in The St. Louis Daily Republic. The regular fifty-cent and onedollar size bottles are sold by all druggists. Don't make any mistake, but remember the name, Swamp-Root-Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, and the address, Binghamton, N. Y., on every bottle.

#### **CROP CONDITIONS GOOD** IN THE SOUTH AND WEST.

Arkansas Legislature Wants to Hear Address From W. R. Hearst.

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REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Little Rock, Ark., April 16.—The Honse to-day failed to pass over the Governor's veto the bill by Mr. Campbell of Pulaski, providing for redigesting the statutes of Arkansas, and authorizing the Supreme Court to appoint a digester. The vote was 38 yeas to 51 nays. Fifty-one votes were necessary to pass the bill over the veto. Governor Davis vetoed the bill on April 2. on the ground, principally, that the appointment of a digestor is a function of the exceutive, and not of the judicial, department.

The House passed Scantor Caldwell's bill empowering City Councils to regulate prices charged for water, ras and electricity.

The Senate passed Representative Stockard's bill providing a bounty of 50 cents on each hawk and fox killed.

The House adopted Scantor Huddleston's concurrent resolution inviting William R. Heart of New York to address the Geberal Assembly.

Stock in good condition.

Illinois-Temperature above seasonal average. Vegetation and fruits greatly stimulated. Farming and seeding operations in active progress, but retarded by heavy rain on left. Winter wheat in excellent condition, but some fields in fested with Hessian fly and chinch bogs. Out seeding finished in many localities. Fruit prospects good except for peaches.

Indiana-Frequent rains kept ground too.

Peaches, Which Were Damaged in Some Localities.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Washington, April 14.—The first of the special weekly crop reports was issued to-day by the Department of Agriculture.

Local conditions in the Southwest are given as follows:

Missouri—Warm week, favorable for wheat and grasses, which are growing sheety, but farm work retarded by rains. Out sowing sheety, but farm work retarded by rains. Out sowing sheety, but farm work retarded by rains. Out sowing sheety, but farm work retarded by rains. Out sowing about completed in southern portion, but stopped by rains in morthern counties; early-sown coming up well.

SPRING DIANTER.

Much Oats Sown and Plowing for Corn REPUBLIC SPECIAL

Alabama—Rains first two days, generally heavy rain last day: locally destructive windstorme; otherwise, week was warm and favorable. Up- and stands fairly good, some being cultivated to pain the being pushed, some up, Osts, wheat and gardens doing well. Strawberry shirt ments increasing. Fresh continues promising in ments increasing the ment in morthern half.

Mississippi—Good showers in north and south portions, elsewhere rain needed to soften ground and for germination. Chris planting in full progress, except in shooded gistricts. Early planted continues of the State the total precipitation for continue progress, except in shooded gistricts. Early planted continues of the State the total precipitation for the State the total p dry weather intercering with planting and general rain.

Tenns-Conditions favorable for all crops. Temperature moderate, light minfall in northern and western counties, but none of consequence elsewhere. Showers would be beneficial on black lands, where surface soil has dried rapidly and crusted. Wheat, rys and oats continue in excellent condition, except in limited areas, where rust has affected wheat and rys. Cutton planting general and in southern and south central counties is nearing completion; many fields of cotton up to fair stands. Own crop making satisfactory progress. Peach crop very short. Grass good and stock improving. Extensive shipments of strawheries being made.

Arkaness-Parming operations materially advanced. Eain of the more beneficial than otherwise. Rain needed in some localities. Considerable polonical made the condition and the outleek for that crop is prepared for cotton; built of crop yet to be planted. Wheat and casts good. Some potances planted from perspared for cotton; built of crop yet to be planted. Wheat and casts good. Some potances planted from perspared for cotton; built of crop yet to be planted. Wheat and casts good. Some potances planted; few coming up. Fruit prospects good are good and stock in some localities. Considerable complaints and casts good. Some potances planted, wheat and casts good. Some potances planted, from work greatly delayed. Complainting pushed, but much land yet unbroken, leavy rains damaged land and crops, and dayed. Complainting contents well and proving well. Good prospects for strawheries in western division. Pastures the straw wheat is respectively and such and constitute of the central and southern some of the extreme northern counties sections.

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Washington, April 14.—The Weather Bureau to-day issued the following weekly summary of crop conditions:

Southern Minnesota some has been sown on the log land;
Outs continue promising in the Southern States and seeding is nearly completed or well advanced in the central valleys, where the early-sown is coming up well.

By the close of March which was a very mild month, all fruits were unusually far advanced. The reports now indicate that many varieties of fruit have suffered severely, more particularly seaches. In California, while some damage has been done by frost, the outlook is favorable. On the North Pacific Coast the season is so backward that fruit has not been exposed to injury.

#### FORCIBLY DYED WIFE'S HAIR Bridegroom Angered Because She Had Blondined It.

Kansas City, Mo., April 14.—Former Lieutenant John Reddick, an officer of the Spanish-American War, now a clerk in the office of the Pacific Express Company, was arrested this afternoon on the charge of threatening to kill his wife, a bride of six ng with his wife and said their trouble se over his wife's use of paint and pow-en her face. He said she olondined her which so angered him that he forcibly dit black again. The hair was ruined.

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Found Dead on Railroad Track. REFUBLIC SPECIAL.
Mitchell, HL. April 14—A man about 38
years old, 5 feet 6 inches tall, weighing
about 149 pounds, with black hair, supposed
to be George Bauer of St. Louis, was killed
accidentally by a train on the Big Four
track here has night. The body was taken
to Venice, Ill., by the Coroner.

Parmer Drowned in Creek. Carlyle, Ill., April 14—James Montague, a well-known farmer living eight miles northwest of this city, was drowned while





#### A LOST TREASURE

For Which All Nations Have Been Searching.

For centuries every civilized nation has been searching for a lost jewel, without success. Sometimes a clew would be discovered, only to be lost again, until the hope of its ever being found has almost been despaired of. This priceless lewel is health. But to-day Dr. Burkhart's Vegetable Compound, the greatest health restore the world has ever known, is being sent into every civilized country on earth. In 1902 \$7.56,000 persons were treated, eighty per cent of whom were cured. If you suffer from Rheumatism, Constipation, Nervousness or any disease of the Blood, Liver or Kidneys, you can be cured by this great remedy. Secrets, All druggists.

attempting to cross Beaver Crock. Montague was in Carlyle Saturday afternoon. A young man giving his name as Bert Baker was with him when he drove from town. Montague attempted to drive his team through the water at an old ford in the creek and the wagon was swept away. Baker made his escape, but Montague was drowned. His body has not been recovered. Decensed was about 8 years of age. He is survived by his wife and several children.

## 100 DOLLARS REWARD....

We will Pay the above reward to any one finding Alum, Rochelle Salts or Ammonia in Food Prepared with JACK FROST Baking Powder. BAIN & CHAPMAN MFG. CO.

BAKING POWDER PURE AND SURE.---

Nothing better sold at any price.

Sold by all grocers at 25 cents a pound.

### MONEY THROWN \* AWAY

Every time you pay 45 or 50 cents for a pound of Baking Powder you actually throw away 20 to 25 cents of your good money.